GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1934
ANSWERED ON:03.08.2001
TV TOWER AT AJMER, RAJASTHAN
AVSM, BRIG.(RETD.) KAMAKHYA PRASAD SINGH DEO

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether a proposal to set up a TV tower on the Taragarh fort of Ajmer was under consideration of the Government;

(b) whether the proposed TV tower was abandoned;

(c) if so, the reasons therefor;

(d) whether any alternative site was considered; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SMT. SUSHMA SWARAJ)

(a) & (b): A High Power Transmitter has been commissioned at Ajmer on 11th July, 2001 in an interim arrangement with a temporary Tower at Taragarh Fort.

(c), (d), & (e): Do not arise.